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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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SUBJECT:

Address by General Carter

1. In response to your telephone request of 12 December relative to a proposed address by General Carter to Agency personnel, the following statement for the DD/R is suggested. (Because of security restrictions, specific achievements and objectives cannot be described.)

2. Experience has demonstrated that significant and unique contributions to our Government's intelligence requirements can be achieved by collection methods employing advanced scientific and technological means. Innovations and adaptations for intelligence purposes have been made particularly in the fields of physics, chemistry and electronics to produce vital intelligence not otherwise obtainable. Outstanding among these have been the detection and analysis of electromagnetic radiations and highly advanced achievements in optics and photography.

3. A major step has been taken during this past year to consolidate and strengthen our capability in the collection field through scientific and technical means by the establishment of a new Deputy Directorate for Research. In recent months the contributions of the DD/R have been invaluable in the conduct of our national affairs leading up to, during and since the Cuban crisis. It is the DD/R's objective in the forthcoming year to bring to an operational status even more sophisticated technological achievements than those which have already proved so successful.

4. I have attempted these two paragraphs with the thought in mind that, depending on the time allowance, either one or both may be used.

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